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significant. This bill I was going to watch for under the label of Senator Schimek's name because I saw where she introduced a bill like this. So I didn't pay attention to Senator Cudaback's bill as I should have. But had this come out on its own as a bill, I assure you that I would have discussed it on General File, and I would have tried to stop it. But since it's at Final Reading, this is the only opportunity that we have, I must make my attempt at this point. But the first step is to defeat Senator Bernard-Stevens' unreasonable amendment. A baby is being taken out of here...

PRESIDENT ROBAK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...who wants to hear me talk. (Laughter.) Anyway, that's all that I'll say at this point.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Schellpeper, followed by Senators Maurstad, Cudaback and Hillman.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: I'll call the question.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Question has been called. Do I see five hands? The question before you is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Senator.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: I guess I would ask for a call of the house and I would take call-in votes.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Since we are on Final Reading, senators should be in their seats. We'll ask senators to return to your seats. Will senators return to your seats and please check in. Will all senators please return to your seats and please check in. We will accept call-in votes.

CLERK: Senator Preister voting yes. Senator Avery voting yes. Senator Hartnett voting yes. Senator Robinson voting no. Senator Vrtiska voting yes. Senator Schmitt voting yes.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Please record.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 8 nays to cease debate.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Debate ceases. The question before